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MEMORANDUM FOR: DDA

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FROM:

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SUBJECT:

Donovan Statue

l. Leo Cherne has performed on the Donovan statue. He brought me samples of the works of six recognized sculptors. I selected three. He undertook to approach them. One of them was occupied and couldn't take on the assignment. The other twowere interested. Each of them is ready and eager to do the sculpture for full-size at \$60,000 and 150 percent full-size at \$75,000. The normal price for a full-size figure is \$100,000. They are shaving \$40,000 off that price because of the honor of the assignment and as a tribute to their fellow sculptor Leo Cherne. This price does not include the base which will probably cost about \$10,000.

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- 2. We have to designate somebody to deal with them. I would suggest that it be you or some senior person you might designate. The person need not have any artistic qualifications, but has to have authority and reliability and good business sense.
- 3. I think the next step should be to discuss the program with the sculptors to be selected and he should probably be invited here to get the feel of the project, see where the statue might be placed, and such other information and perspectives as he may wish.
- 4. My instinct would be for me to call each of these gentlemen and invite them down for lunch and show them around a little. Meanwhile, you might have the General Counsel find out what kind of paper is appropriate for this kind of arrangement. If you think this is the way to go, give me a call and I'll place a call to each of them and invite them for a visit. One will be disappointed, but at least he will get a chance to visit our Headquarters.

William J. Casey

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